



PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 3327-2344

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Kazuo Yoshida et al. ) Group Art Unit: To be Assigned  
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Application No.: 10/573,980 ) Examiner: To be Assigned  
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Filed: March 30, 2006 )  
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For: Process for Producing ) Confirmation No.: To be Assigned  
Polyphenylene Ether Resin )  
Composition )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application  
as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are included in this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are included in the attached replacement  
drawing sheet(s). The amendments are discussed in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.

**Attachments** to this amendment include **one Replacement Drawing Sheet**  
**(FIG. 1) and \$450 check for additional claims.**

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